

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: MATSUZAWA, Minoru, et al.

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For: SUBSTRATE SUPPORTING APPARATUS

RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR §1.116

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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated November 24, 2006, enclosed herewith an extension for one month, extending the time for response from February 24, 2007 to March 24, 2007, with March 24 and 25 being a Saturday and a Sunday, respectively, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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